



Hilton Head High All Sports Booster Club

Meeting Minutes for August 17, 2009

Attendance: Sue Brewer, Jill Dower, David Buck, Carey Ann Kelly, Susanna Johnston, Coach Garret Talarczyk, Coach Michele Hughes, Teresa McCarty, VP Greg Viventi, Coach Ken Updike, Debbie Natoli. Coach Dave Greenburg, Coach Sara Beachofsky, Coach Chris Wells, Coach Monmonier, D. Reed, VOL Chair David Martin, Principal Amanda O’Nan, AD Lew Kent, Pass Chair Barry Taylor, President Mike Manesiotis, William Lightner

Open Chair: The girl’s bathroom needed to be cleaned for games. Lew Kent will check on this.

Athletic Directors Report: Lew began by thanking the Booster Club and all the participants for their support. Then Lew introduced the New coaches; Garret Talarczyk – Girls volleyball, Jack Madden, swimming, and the new girls soccer coach. The New travel policy is 280 miles radius. The Academic policy from January 2009 is still in effect. Grades are checked once the first four weeks, then every two weeks. If a student is failing, they need to attend tutoring two times a week to bring the grade up. If the student doesn’t bring up the grade within two weeks, then it is a decision of the administrators. There is a lot of paperwork involved in this. Lew also said that the back gate will be closed. No tickets for games will be sold at back gate. This is for the concession volunteers and team only. Because this is a change, they will have a sign explaining the situation and cones in the back parking lot.

Coaches Report: Girls varsity basketball reports that they are working hard and having fun. Boys lacrosse reports a good return and added freshman and that they are looking forward to there first year as sanctioned. Baseball varsity boys reported that they received bleachers. Cheerleading has a young team with 7 freshman and 7 sophomores. Softball reported that pitching was changed from 40’ to 43’ for a safety issue. Volleyball reported that he has a few with great promise.

President’s report: Mike Manesiotis reported on projects. 1. New sign with new Seahawk logo for the Stadium \$700.00, voted Yes. 2. New stadium entrance sign by tower, 8’ x 5’, nice carved wooden sign \$3,200 installed by Speedy Sign and do irrigation for the cost of pipes, voted Yes. The next few projects are being looked at. 3. Cut branches of rather overgrown was myrtles by stadium. 4. \$14,000 for a Lacrosse tower

for scoring and filming. 5. Field of Dreams debt reduction. The baseball team collected \$7,000 and with Booster Club for a total of 11,000, leaving a balance of \$30,000. 6. Below the baseball field tower is some advertising potential. 7. I'm a student Athlete continued, voted yes because it promotes the athlete. 8. T-shirts for the teams feedback, voted Yes. The athletes wear them with pride. 9. Expand Senior athlete potential in regards to scholarships. 10. film games on CD's and sell for \$5.00 to be discussed with Mike Ritterback. 11. Purchase a new DVD-R for school to replace the broken one. Mrs. O'Nan said she would take care of this. 12. Two new water carriers for Shawn Zink. 2@\$1,200. Voted Yes for at least one. 13. Continued T-shirt tossing out at football games. Need ideas of what to say on the back. Please e-mail ideas to Mike Manesiotis.

Mike Manesiotis also requests that all coaches update roster and send schedule to be posted on the web site. Please send as soon as possible. And if you are a rep for your team, please let your coach know what is going on.

Treasurer's report: Pat Carey, CPA is doing the tax return and should be done by October.

Committee Reports: Need Golf Tournament chair. This is a "fun" raiser. Also need concession help. 10 – 12 adults and students to run a concession during an event. Also needed during football games are raffle ticket sellers.

Barry Taylor talked about the Booster Pass. Suzanna Johnston is sending out flyers to the elementary school. Pass cost: Elementary, \$10; Adult, \$70; Family, \$190. New this year is the prorated price as the year progresses. Discussed some ideas to boost ticket sales. Some ideas were to offer a discount to large groups such as Island Rec soccer, gator football, etc. The banner program was discussed and teams are encouraged to sell, sell, sell. Banners are \$600 and \$300 goes directly to the team that sold it.

Next meeting is September 21st at 6 PM